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FOR ZURHELLEN FROM UNGER

WHITE HOUSE PLEASE PASS TO AF-2 VC 137/86970

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1. FOLLOWING IS THE LATEST TENTATIVE SCHEDULE BASED ON
INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO THIS HOUR:

2. ALL TIMES MENTIONED IN THIS PARAGRAPH (PARA 2)
REPRESENT BEST ESTIMATES PRESENTLY AVAILABLE.

1615 - ARRIVE SUNGSHAN AIR FORCE BASE

(AMBASSADOR UNGER AND MOFA CHIEF OF PROTOCOL PHILIP LIU
BOARD THE AIRCRAFT UPON ITS ARRIVAL. VICE PREMIER HSU
CH'ING-CHUNG, FOREIGN MINISTER AND MRS. SHEN CH'ANG-HUAN,
MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO CHOU SHU-K'AI, VICE FOREIGN
MINISTER YANG HSI-K'UN, AND DIRECTOR, NORTH AMERICAN AFFAIRS,
MOFA (ED) KUAN YUNG, WAIT AT THE FOOT OF THE AIRCRAFT TO
BE INTRODUCED TO AND GREET THE DELEGATION. ON THE US
SIDE, IN ADDITION TO THE AMBASSADOR AND MRS. UNGER, THERE
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ARE MINISTER/COUNSELOR POPPLE; TDC COMMANDER ADMIRAL SNYDER;

CHIEF MAAG GENERAL NASH; DIRECTOR USIS CLARKE; SCIENCE ATTACHE CLARK; DIRECTOR ATG FLITCROFT AND THEIR WIVES. THE DELEGATION WALKS PAST A MILITARY HONOR GUARD AND PROCEEDS TO THE VIP ROOM OF THE SUNGSHAN AIR FORCE BASE. THE VICE PRESIDENT MAKE HIS ARRIVAL STATEMENT IN THE PRESS ROOM ADJACENT TO THE VIP ROOM, AFTER WHICH THE ENTIRE PARTY DEPARTS FOR THE GRAND HOTEL.)

1630 - DEPART FOR THE GRAND HOTEL

1650 - ARRIVE AT THE GRAND HOTEL; TO BE FOLLOWED IMMEDIATELY BY BRIEF MEETING OF THE DELEGATION WITH AMBASSADOR UNGER

1800 - DEPART GRAND HOTEL FOR SUN YAT-SEN MEMORIAL HALL

1825 - ARRIVE SUN YAT-SEN MEMORIAL HALL TO PAY RESPECTS TO THE LATE PRESIDENT
(ALL MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION, SPOUSES, MEMBERS OF THE VICE PRESIDENT'S STAFF, STATE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES, AND PRESS MAY ATTEND THIS FUNCTION. UPON ARRIVAL AT THE MEMORIAL HALL, THE PARTY IS ESCORTED TO A POSITION IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO THE FUNERAL BIER. FIRST THE VICE PRESIDENT, AND THEN OTHER MEMBERS OF THE PARTY IN GROUPS OF THREE TO FOUR WALK UP A SHORT FLIGHT OF STEPS TO A PLATFORM BUILT IN FRONT OF THE FUNERAL BIER TO VIEW THE REMAINS. THEY PAY THEIR RESPECTS BRIEFLY WITH A SINGLE BOW, OR INCLINATION OF THE HEAD, OR OTHER GESTURE OF RESPECT AS CONSIDERED APPROPRIATE BY THE INDIVIDUAL PARTICIPANT.)

1855 - DEPART SUN YAT-SEN MEMORIAL

1920 - ARRIVE GRAND HOTEL

3. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16

0710 - ALL DELEGATIONS ASSEMBLE IN THE LOBBY OF THE GRAND HOTEL.

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0720 - ALL DELEGATIONS DEPART FOR SUN YAT-SEN MEMORIAL HALL.
(THE VICE PRESIDENT MAY GO DIRECTLY FROM HIS SUITE TO HIS VEHICLE RATHER THAN WAITING IN THE LOBBY WITH OTHER DELEGATIONS. WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE US DELEGATION WILL BE THE FIRST TO DEPART FROM THE HOTEL.)

0745 - ARRIVE SUN YAT-SEN MEMORIAL HALL.

0800 - MEMORIAL CEREMONY (TRADITIONAL CHINESE).

0830 - MEMORIAL SERVICE (CHRISTIAN)

0930 - LATE PRESIDENT'S REMAINS ARE TAKEN FROM THE
HALL; ALL DELEGATIONS FOLLOW THE CORETEGE
ON FOOT FOR A SHORT DISTANCE AFTER WHICH
THEY RETURN TO THE GRAND HOTEL BY CAR.

1030 - (ESTIMATED) DEPART FOR GRAND HOTEL.

1100 - (ESTIMATED) ARRIVE GRAND HOTEL
(PARTICIPATION IN THE ABOVE MEMORIAL CEREMONY AND SERVICE
WILL BE RESTRICTED TO THE OFFICIAL DELEGATION, THEIR
SPOUSES, AND, PER INSTRUCTIONS OF MOFA, A MAXIMUM OF FOUR
OTHERS WHOM THE VICE PRESIDENT MAY DESIGNATE. WE WOULD
APPRECIATE RECEIVING THE NAMES OF THE FOUR DESIGNEES AS
SOON AS POSSIBLE).

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1230 - LUNCHEON AT THE AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE
(DOWNTOWN) FOR MEMBERS OF OFFICIAL
DELEGATION AND SPOUSES AND FOR OTHER VISITORS

WHO RECEIVE INVITATIONS.

1400-1700 - NATIONAL PALACE MUSEUM OPEN FOR VISIT BY ALL
WHO WISH TO PARTICIPATE. (SEE THURSDAY)
MORNING SCHEDULE FOR ALTERNATIVE TIME.)

1700 - DEPART GRAND HOTEL FOR THE CHUNG SHAN
BUILDING AT YANGMINGSHAN

1730 - RECEPTION/TEA, HOSTED BY PRESIDENT AND MRS.
YEN CHIA-KAN. PARTICIPATION WILL BE RES-
TRICTED TO THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE MEMORIAL
CEREMONY (I.E., THE OFFICIAL USE DELEGATION,
THEIR SPOUSES, AND FOUR DESIGNEES MEN-
TIONED ABOVE. SOME 75 PROMINENT ROC CIVIL
AND MILITARY OFFICIALS, OTHER FOREIGN DELE-
GATIONS, AND RESIDENT CHIEFS OF MISSION ARE
EXPECTED TO ATTEND.

1900 - DEPART CHUNG SHAN BUILDING
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FOLLOWING PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION MEMBERS OF THE OFFICIAL
DELEGATION, THEIR SPOUSES, AND OTHER VISITORS
WHO WILL RECEIVE INVITATIONS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND
A BUFFET SUPPER AT THE AMBASSADOR'S SMALL YANGMINGSHAN
RESIDENCE NEARBY. OTHER MAY RETURN TO THE GRAND HOTEL.

4. THURSDAY, APRIL 17

0900 - CALL BY PREMIER CHIANG CHING-KUO ON THE VICE
PRESIDENT AT HIS GRAND HOTEL SUITE.
(THE SCHEDULING OF THIS MEETING IS STILL
TENTATIVE. MOFA ADVISES US THAT ON THE US
SIDE ONLY AMBASSADOR UNGER WILL BE INVITED
TO PARTICIPATE. FRED CHIEN, DIRECTOR OF THE
ROKIGOVERNMENT INFORMATION OFFICE, WILL
ALSO ATTEND AND ACT AS INTERPRETER.)

0940 - DEPART GRAND HOTEL FOR SHIH LIN

1000 - CALL ON MADAME CHIANG KAI-SHEK
(PARTICIPATION WILL BE RESTRICTED TO MEMBERS
OF THE OFFICIAL DELEGATION AND THEIR
SPOUSES ONLY). THE CALL WILL LAST FOR NO
LONGER THAN TEN MINUTES. PREMIER CHIANG
CHING-KUO WILL ALSO BE PRESENT.

1010 - DEPART MADAME CHIANG'S RESIDENCE.

RETURN TO GRAND HOTEL OR ALTERNATIVELY, VISIT
THE PALACE MUSEUM AT THIS TIME.

1200 - ARRIVE AT THE KAI KE CHURCH, SHIH LIN, TO
ATTEND CHIANG "FAMILY" CHAPEL SERVICE.
(WE ARE ADVISED BY MOFA THAT ATTENDANCE
WILL BE LIMITED AND AT MADAME CHIANG'S
INVITATION.)

1320 - DEPART KAI KE CHURCH FOR GRAND HOTEL

1200 - FOR MEMBERS OF THE PARTY NOT ATTENDING THE
CHAPEL SERVICE: LUNCHEON WILL BE AVAILABLE AT
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THE AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE (DOWNTOWN) FOR THE
DELEGATION, THEIR SPOUSES, AND OTHER
VISITORS WHO RECEIVE INVITATIONS.

OPEN - DEPART GRAND HOTEL FOR SUNGSHAN MILITARY
AIRPORT AT A TIME TO BE DESIGNATED BY THE
VICE PRESIDENT.

5. WITH REGARD TO NUMBERS WHO MAY PARTICIPATE IN THE ABOVE
EVENTS, WE HAVE URGED MOFA TO ACCEPT THE MAXIMUM POSSIBLE.
WE HAVE MET WITH POLITE BUT FIRM REFUSAL FROM MOFA TO GO
BEYOND THE LIMITATIONS STATED ABOVE.

6. N.B.: MOFA IS MOST SENSITIVE ABOUT PHOTOGRAPHERS
WORKING IN THE PRESENCE OF THE BEREAVED FAMILY. ALTHOUGH
WE HAVE STRESSED THAT MR. RICARDO THOMAS, WHITE HOUSE
PHOTOGRAPHER, IS PART OF VICE PRESIDENT ROCKEFELLER'S
OFFICIAL PARTY, MOFA HAS ASKED THAT HE WORK AS A MEMBER OF
THE PRESS CORPS AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. MOFA OFFICIALS HAVE
SPECIFICALLY POINTED OUT THAT PHOTOGRAPHERS WILL NOT RPT
NOT BE PRESENT DURING THE CALL ON MADAME CHIANG AT 10:00
THURSDAY APRIL 17. SUBJECT TO THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED
ABOVE, MR. THOMAS WILL BE INCLUDED AS A MEMBER OF THE VICE
PRESIDENT'S PARTY IN OTHER ACTIVITIES AS STATED ABOVE TO THE
EXTENT THAT THE VICE PRESIDENT WISHES TO SELECT HIM AS ONE
OF THE FOUR DESIGNATED TO ACCOMPANY HIM. (SEE PARA 3 ABOVE). UNGER

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